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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

GEN'L GRANT said to the Texas Pacific Railroad Committee that he hoped the road would be built. Thus far, at any rate, we agree with the President—There is some good in the great gift-taking nepotist, after all.

We hope that the softening influence of Florida will have a marked effect upon Mrs. Harriet-Beecher-Uncle-Tom's-Cabin-Stowe, and that as she has resided there for so many winters, she has become a more gentle being than she was heretofore.

We have seen not less than 263 feet of sea-grass rope, in sections varying from one to six inches each, which we were assured were parts of the identical rope with which Captain Jack and his Modoc braves were hung. The question arises—how long a rope was required to hang an Indian murderer.

It is proposed by the Colorado Legislature to tax church property, when the same is worth over \$7,000. We believe the idea is a good one. Why should wealthy churches, worth from \$10,000 to \$300,000 each, go free of taxation, while the humble cottager with his little home, is taxed to support a country.

Some weeks since we took occasion to warn the public generally of the danger of small pox visiting Central Kentucky. Some people may have heeded the warning, but others thought the editor unduly alarmed. Well, time will show who was right. Vaccination is the serious duty of all persons, and the law should be enforced.

Spain has replied to the circular of the government in reference to Cuban affairs, in a rather bellicose tone. She declares that the commerce between that island and our country has not been interrupted by the war, and that our shores are a refuge for Cuban insurgents who plot measures to subvert their government. There is a speck of war in this matter. Hurry up the Navy.

One of the most sensible "bonds of friendship" we ever read gave the Executor of an estate, instructions to pay to a certain "friend" the sum of \$75,000. After the death of the donor the donee presented the "bond" for payment. The heirs resisted the matter, and then the case went through three legal tribunals and ended by a decree ordering the money to be paid over to the man for whom it was intended. "What is friendship but a name?" In the foregoing instance it was a good deal more.

MORE than one thousand years ago the Icelanders settled on their frozen, dreary island. They have clung to the same spot ever since, and last year some time they celebrated their "millionth" year, amidst great pomp and ceremony, and many people from all parts of the world joined them in it. Strange it seems, that on an island where it is almost night for a great part of the year, men will make their abode and their abide and live and die. Nothing but a love of "home" could have induced them to remain in such a place. But it is that same love of "home" which causes the shepherd of the Alps to his stormy hills! Then we do not wonder that the Icelanders feel a longing for their barren rocks when he leaves them.

THE PRINCE OF WALES.—The last number of *Harper's Weekly* contains a picture which represents a battle between two elephants, at Baroda, India, got up for the purpose of affording amusement to the Prince of Wales, who is England's coming King. One of the animals, from the picture, seems to be small and of little force, while the other is represented as a mammoth, goaded on by the spear of his keeper. Their tusks have been sawed off to prevent serious goring, but their "tails" have been left intact, in order to allow them the largest liberty in exposing their "weakest point." During the visit of the Prince to the barbarous portions of his mother's realm, many unseemly acts have been committed; elephants, bulls, buffaloes, Rhinoceros, etc., have been made to engage in bloody fights for the Prince's amusement. Some of the English papers have made severe comment upon these things, and the civilized world will "come down" upon the future King for the part he has taken in the matter. The bull-fights of Spain, a century ago, were not more disgraceful than the "sports" introduced in British India for the purpose of pleasing a silly Sovereign. The humane part of the world will scout such things, as they should do. The semi-barbarous people of India are little less—if at all—human than the possible King who, some day ere long, may rule over their wide and beautiful country.

Home Day.

BY NELLY MARSHALL WATKINS.

Some day my toll will all be done
And put in prison bars,
My restless soul will flee away
To realms beyond the stars.
The time that heart of mine will know,
When all cold death has passed,
That thro' the years of woe and we
I loved thee to the last.
But then, O love, 'twill naught avail
That bitter tears will fall
For one who never can return—
Who loved the best of all.
Some day thou'lt stand beside my grave,<
And read the name upon the stone,
And know, as now, the deeper there
Was, is and will be all time on.
And yet we are divided now
By many a dark and weary mile,
By many a sad and bitter thought,
By many a tear and mocking smile;
But death will level all degrees
Of pride, of patience and of pain,
And I can wait, and waiting long,
Since love will not be all in vain.
And on that day perchance thou'lt say,
When what is dark will now be clear;
"Dear, patient heart, I know it now,
And knowing now, for thou art dear!"
Oh, for that time I've waited long!
Some time departing—some time glad—
For faith, though weak, knew love was strong.
And love can make us pay and aid!
But pay or not 'twill matter not,
When standing there they tears will fall
For one who dying loved the well,
And living loved the best of all.

GENERAL NEWS.

The press everywhere, speaks well of Senator Beck.

GEN. GRANT is a hearty endorser of the Southern Pacific Railroad.**JACOBS**, the Illinois wife murderer, paid the penalty with his neck, on Friday last.

The telegraph announces heavy snows in Wyoming—causing considerable detention in Railroad trains.

There has been a \$75,000 fire in Nashville. Five buildings, including the Western Union Telegraph office, were burned.

The Southwestern Car Company at Jeffersonville, has been thrown into bankruptcy. Assets about \$225,000. Liabilities half a million.

STEVENSON was one of the eulogizers of Vice President Wilson, in the Senate, on Friday last, and Procter Knott, in the House of Representatives.

In Jackson county, Tenn., a man has just been convicted of the murder of a Union soldier in 1865, and sentenced to ten years imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

W. C. PERRY, an old citizen of Jeffersonville, Ind., committed suicide on Friday, by cutting his throat with a razor. Temporary insanity was the supposed cause.

The Post Office Department has issued an order that all letters that are not stamped in the right place—the upper right hand corner—shall be sent to the Dead letter office.

A bill has been introduced in the Senate, to form the Territory of Pembina out of the Northern part of Dakota and Montana. Another roar for Radical office seekers, wanted.

QUEEN VICTORIA is looking for a future companion for her only remaining daughter, Beatrice. She has gone to Germany for the purpose, and Beatrice will no doubt soon be "fixed" in life.

Six suits of divorce were granted in the Chancery Court at Louisville, in one day, recently. We fear that city will soon have earned the unenviable reputation of Chicago, if this thing continues.

It is the fashion for a defaulting officer in California, to shuffle off his mortal coil by his own hand about the time his crime is found out. H. C. Kibber, mining Secretary, a defaulter to the amount of \$110,000, was the last to shoot himself through the head.

MOODY & SANKEY are still in Philadelphia, but the sensation they created at first, is fast dying away. It is understood that they are billed for New York on the 30th, and the interest manifested is sufficient, they will read the boards for two or three months.

The Cincinnati papers are about equally divided for and against the further appropriation of \$6,000,000 to complete the Southern Railroad. The general opinion of the people is, that it would be folly to suspend operations now, after an expenditure of \$10,000,000—and the probability is, that the six millions will be forthcoming.

A lady at Bradford, N. H., has had a narrow escape from being buried alive. She had been sick for some time, and had apparently died. Preparations for the funeral were made on the third day after the supposed death, when it was observed, as she was placed in the coffin, that one of the eyes was partly open. Nothing was, however thought of this, as it was thought to be muscular contraction after death. But when all the arrangements for the funeral were complete, she astonished the attendants by a sudden request to be placed on one side. A complete recovery is expected.

PISCATORIAL INTELLIGENCE.

[A Letter from Gen. Landrum, to Maj. McKinney.]

Lancaster, Ky., Jan., 17, 1876.

Maj. G. H. McKinney:
Dear Sir:—At the request of Mr. Kinnaid, I write to give you some information concerning our salmon enterprise. On the 8th inst., we received 25,000 California Salmon, which were immediately placed in the Hanging Fork and Dix River. Our application was made to Prof. Jas. Milner, at Waukegan, Illinois, but whose address at present is "Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D. C." The salmon were shipped from Northville, Michigan, in charge of Prof. A. D. Hager, whose address is "445, Irving Place, Chicago." By your aid in getting half-fare tickets from Cincinnati, we reduced the expense to about \$70. The cost of the fish is nothing; but those who get them are expected to pay transportation. It is best to have two attendants with the fish, as the water has to be changed from one to another every two hours, to keep the fish alive. We got ours through with one attendant only, but he was worked very severely, losing three nights sleep, and losing a few of the fish.

The cost of transporting, say 30,000, would be, with two attendants, about \$100. Of course, if one-half fare tickets could be procured North of the river also, this expense would be lessened in proportion. Mr. Hager says some of the trains North, do not like to be bothered with such shipments, and he had some trouble in that matter. They are shipped in cans about the shape of milk cans, each holding about 13 gallons of water, and about 2,500 fish in a can. The fish are about 11 inches in length, and are lively little fellows. Some of them when put into Dix River, leaped two feet or more out of the water, landing on the bank. It is no wonder, therefore, that they can go over a dam 12 or 14 feet high when they go to 16 or 20 pounds. If you will write to either Prof. Milner, or Mr. Hager, they will give you any information you desire.

We put them in the Hanging Fork and Dix River, at different points, so as to give them a fair chance. The salmon grow very rapidly, and when they have attained the length of 6 or 7 inches, they assume a white, silvery appearance, and make for salt water, returning in due time to spawn in the waters in which they were originally placed. Yours, truly,

W. J. LANDRUM.

Coal for Hogs.

The hog seems to crave carbon in a concentrated form, and hence we may conclude it is necessary to his well-being. He will eat charcoal freely, which is tasteless, and is not nutritious. From the same natural prompting, we see them eat wood when so decayed that they can do so.

For myself I have for many years been in the habit of feeding my hogs with an abundance of our common bituminous coal, preferring the poorest, or that which contains a large amount of sulphur and iron, and I think with the happiest results. Let a farmer who has never tried it, throw in a lump of coal as large as his fist, and he will be surprised to see the hog leave the corn and crunch the coal, as if it were the most luscious morsel. Sulphur has long been known as a valuable remedial agent for hogs, and iron is a well known tonic, acting specifically upon the blood, thickening and strengthening it. Here, then, the hog, by eating the coal, gets other important elements besides the carbon.

I have never known a hog well supplied with this coal, to be sick or off his feed for a single day, and although I cannot give figures showing actual results of careful experiments to prove it, I believe hogs thus supplied will eat more and assimilate their food better, will make appreciably more pork, with a given amount of corn, than those which are without it. At least, I am well satisfied with the way in which my hogs thrive—grow and fatten—under this treatment. Coal is cheap, and others if they have not, may try it at little expense.—[Prairie Farmer.]

Lover and Husband.

Perhaps there is no more painful time in a woman's life than the time of transition when the assiduous lover is passing into the matter of fact husband, and the wooer is gradually changing into master. Women who are so much more sensitive than men, more sentimental too, and less content to trust in silence to an unobtrusive affection are for the most part only happy when they are being adored. It is not enough to be loved; they want to be told so twenty times a day, and to have the harmonies of life enriched by a crowd of "occasional notes" embroidering the solid substance by which men live. Men, on the other hand, get tired of making love. When they have wooed and won, they are content to be quiet and to take all the rest for granted. They are not cold, however, because they are secure; and to most, and to those the best practical kindness is better than flattery, security ranks before excitement and hysteria, and life passed in serene friendship, fearing no evil, knowing no break, and needing praising, is better than life passed in perpetual turmoil of passion, where there are scenes and tears, doubt and broken heart. If there are not endless courtship and fatiguing demonstrations.

STATE NEWS.

Go to Texas, young man—go immediately. The sooner you go, the sooner you will get back and settle down contented in your good old native State.—[Franklin Patriot.]

The Interior Journal (Stanford, Ky.) came to us last week alive all over and just bristling with all sorts of good reading, especially an unusual amount of interesting local news. The Journal is one of the ablest and best conducted papers in the State, and judging from its amount of reading matter its treble column advertisements, etc., you would imagine it was published in a town of five or ten thousand inhabitants, rather than in one of fifteen hundred. The liberal patronage it receives, is the best proof of its worth. —[Observer & Reporter, Harrodsburg.]

A modest young man from the country, having taken a severe cold, and having a great horror for that dread disease, consumption, consulted with some of his immediate friends as to the most effectual remedy, which he was informed, was cod liver oil. The young man shortly after visited the drug store of Mr. R. S. Hearn, in this place, and called through his sense of modesty, for fish oil. The alarming symptoms of the patient and the mooning of a regular physician, after he had disposed of about a pint of the remedy, revealed the mistake, while the prompt and effectual restorative administered saved the young man's life.—[Owen News.]

Of all times in the world this is about the worst that could be hit upon for making a change in the legal rate of interest. Times are hard enough and money is held out of sight close enough already, without any legislation especially directed to driving money out of the State and so making times harder. We do not suppose there is a member of the legislature who will deny that the immediate effect of a change in the laws restricting the freedom of trade in money, will be to unsettle and disturb the course of business for some time to come, and even granting that it will be a good thing to make a law—which everybody will violate—that interest shall be only six per cent., this is no time to do it.—[Lou. Commercial.]

The building of the new jail in Pulaski county was let out by the County Court on Monday last for \$9,900 to H. G. Trimble. They also allowed \$880 to the architect until the completion of the building. This will make the jail, completed, cost about \$11,000. To meet this amount it was decided to issue bonds bearing 10 per cent interest, payable in 20 years. An *ad valorem* tax was also levied at 15cts on the \$100 worth of property for the year 1876, for the payment of the jail bond principal and interest. So we learn from the Somerset Reporter, and from which we also learn that Mr. Jos. B. Rucker will retire from the editorial to the mechanical department of the Reporter. His partner, Mr. W. C. Owens, assuming entire editorial control. We will bank high on his making it lively.

Your county paper cannot be as able and newsy as one published in some commercial center, but it ought to be just as valuable. The wheels of a wagon are much slower, and are in their places wholly indispensable to its movement, but not more so than the hidden coupling pin that keeps the wagon together. Their duties are entirely different and yet one is not more important to the wagon than the other. So with the papers. Your great journal treats of subjects entirely foreign to that of your home paper, but of great interest, while your home paper comes along with local gleanings you would never gather, and in which you are directly interested. It doesn't compliment a man's to hear him say that he takes a paper from New York because he gets it for the same that he asked for his home paper. As well might he say that because a bookseller asked him two dollars for a school book that he

REMOVING THE CAPITAL.—Whenever a member of the Legislature of Kentucky sees that he can raise a name in no other way, he is sure to begin agitating the capital removal question. They have been at it for years, and will continue agitating. They have sprung the question again, and it is now thought that it will be put to a vote of the people, or, if not that, make it an issue in the race for representatives for the next session of the General Assembly. We put our foot down on this old issue, and, once for all, say we are opposed to a removal on various grounds, chief among them being the great cost attending such a step. Our sister State of West Virginia, has been in a state of excitement over the removal of its capital, and the sad experience admonishes us to "go slow" on the question. Furthermore, Frankfort is a central point, readily accessible from all portions of the State, by rail, river and turnpike; it has ample hotel and private accommodations. It is a beautiful city, and the people stay there. Therefore, let the capital stay where it is.

A STANGER passing through Lexington, the capital of one of the finest blue-grass counties in Kentucky, would be amazed to find, that, in the centre of a square, there is an old, rickety Court House, worth less than \$5,000.—Fayette county is able, and has ever been, to build a decent building as a temple of Justice, and why has it not done so, is a marvel to all men. True, it is that Henry Clay, and Breckenridge, and others of not much less ability, have made the old building's walls resound to the thrilling eloquence of their voices, but even those men, if they could speak from their honored graves, would say—tear the old shell down and build a house which will be worthy of the fame and glory of your country. Some of our most humble counties have built Court Houses worth five or six times as much as the one at Lexington, and their people gladly pay the tax to do so.

The unfortunate "domestic" difficulty which occurred between Gen. G. W. Smith, late chief of the Insurance Bureau, and Hon. D. Howard Smith, Auditor of State, and which led the latter to refuse to reappoint the former, has resulted in the bringing in of a bill by the Legislature to take the appointing power out of the Auditor's hands and placing it where it properly should belong, in the gift of the Governor. We would go still further, and add to the bill—"by and with the consent of the Senate." Yes, that would be right, to let the Governor nominate, and the Senate confirm the same. This would render it impossible for a "family rumus" to cause the loss of a peerless chief of that very important position, the Insurance Bureau.

The most remarkable case of teaching a human being who was void of all the senses except one, anything at all, was that of Miss Laura Bridgman, who, from scarlet fever in her early childhood, was deprived of sight, hearing and the sense of smell, and almost the sense of taste, thus leaving in full only the remaining sense of feeling. Dr. Howe, a kind-hearted and scientific man, undertook to teach her. After long and arduous labor he taught her to read and write, and sew, to such an extent that she became from almost a statue in marble, a sensible and cultivated woman. She is now 46 years old, good-looking, and seemingly happy. If this poor unfortunate girl could be taught, who of us can complain that we have no means of informing ourselves.

HALF of the time allotted by the Constitution to the State Assembly for its session, has elapsed, and if any one can point out a single Act passed by that body which is of any earthly good to the State, we would thank him for the information. They flittered away over two weeks in trying to elect a U. S. Senator, which could have been done in two days, just as well, and they have brought in numerous "leaves" to introduce many useless bills of a purely local nature, and this is absolutely all the benefits (?) the State has received, and for which they have to pay about \$30,000. Don't talk about retrenchment and reform as long as such things last.

The obscure member in the Kentucky Legislature from Pike county, being unable to get his name in the papers in any other way, concluded, just before the nomination of Hon. J. B. Beck, by the Democratic caucus, to charge that money had been used to secure the nomination. His idle talk fell as flat as a flounder, and instead of gaining an enviable notoriety, he succeeded in most unfavorably exposing his assistant quality.

With singular unanimity the press of the South, and many papers of the West, have most heartily endorsed the election of Mr. Beck to the United States Senate. The people of the south especially rejoice in his able and successful efforts in their behalf, at a time when no other voice was raised in their defense.

We were glad to see that Col. Griggs, by the able member of the Legislature from Boyle county, has introduced a bill to have a Common Pleas or Criminal Court established in this Judicial Circuit. The lawyers tell us that such a court is demanded by all the best interests of the people, and we hope that instead of waiting their precious time in considering the passage of useless local laws, the Legislature will at once turn its attention to the framing of such general laws as will place our judicial system on a better footing than heretofore. Lawyers, litigants, witnesses, and others concerned, will thank them for such Legislation.

AN IMPORTANT OPINION.—The United States Supreme Court, in the case of *Welton vs. the State of Missouri*, has just decided that the State cannot compel a peddler to pay license for selling articles produced in other States, on the ground that it is a tax upon the goods themselves, a discrimination against the products of other States, and is in conflict with that clause of the Federal Constitution which declares that Congress shall have power to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several States.

THEY now make horse collars out of heavy cotton duck, instead of leather, that is, they stuff that kind of cloth with straw, which enables those who have to buy, to get them at a much lower rate than they paid for those covered with leather. Anything which will cheapen the articles necessary for the farmer or mechanic, will aid in adding to the general wealth of the country at large. These collars are said to last nearly, or quite as long as the old kind, and are as soft upon the animal's shoulders.

The President of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, Co., in an informal report to the Stockholders of the road, mourned its pathetic over the fact, that owing to the continued high waters of the rivers, they have been compelled to carry freight at much reduced figures, in order to compete with steamboats. It would be a blessing to the people, generally, if the rivers would remain at a boating-tide the year round. In that case, this great railway monopoly, would be effectively broken down.

Discourse the fact as they may, the government can no longer keep people out of the famous Black Hills country, if recent reports from that quarter be true. It is now said that miners get out a dollar's worth of gold every hour they work, and that four men got out \$137 worth in one day. There are a great many miners there, already, and the coming Spring will find thousands more flocking thither from all points of the civilized world, in search of the precious ore.

A SPECIAL dispatch to the *Courier-Journal*, from Lexington, says that Mr. D. M. Craig, of that city, had chloroform administered to him by his physicians for the purpose of performing a severe operation, under the influence of which, he died. Considering the danger attending its administration, it seems strange that men will not take a less dangerous anesthetic such as ether. We have heard of several deaths from the same cause, recently.

WHEN the managers of the Associated press dispatches run short of news, they are sure to let the world "and the rest of mankind" know, that Mr. John Smith, was a passenger on a steamship, to some foreign port, or something else of as much importance. We were informed the other day, through such telegrams, that a Mr. Theodore Brown had married a Miss Julia Reed. Will wonders never cease?

The Roman Catholic Priest at New Haven, Connecticut, refused to permit a man to be buried in the cemetery there, on his own lot, on the grounds that the man who died had joined the secret Order of Odd Fellows. This, too, when the dead man had two children interred in the same burial ground. What right had that Priest to refuse the request? What are we coming to?

THE Centennial Bill passed the Lower House of Congress on Tuesday last, by a small majority of 16. It is thought the Senate will concur. Our member, Hon. M. J. Durham, voted against the bill, and he will also vote against the Texas Pacific bill. Only two of the Kentucky delegation voted yes, on the million-and-a-half appropriation for the Centennial, namely, White, (R.) and Jones, (D.)

THERE is said to be a strong feeling in Congress, to repeal the specie resumption act. We sincerely hope that it will be repealed, and this hope seems to be very general among all parties. Western members of Congress have grown impatient at the delay of the Committees in reporting a repeal bill. So says the Washington correspondent of the *Courier-Journal*.

IT is a fact that the United States Supreme Court is five years behind with the business on its docket, and Senator McGarry, of Iowa, has introduced a bill in the Senate, to the end, that a reform be had at once.

It is said that owing to the great expense attending the running of the fast mail trains from North to South, the Post Master General will have them discontinued.

THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS is too large a sum for our State to vote for the Centennial. Half that amount is sufficient, if any is given. What Kentucky needs in the matter, is to show her resources in lands, minerals, timber, water power, &c. Beyond that, nothing is required, as we conceive.

HON. GEORGE H. PENDLETON, of Ohio, is in Florida. He was called out before a crowd of over 2,000 persons the other night, and made a speech which was rapturously received. His name and fame have gone to all parts of the country, and he well deserves all honor.

SOME newspaper has asserted that the 4th of March, would not fall on Sunday, in inauguration year, for some 300 years from the formation of the government. It will be seen that March 4th, 77, will be Sunday. The question, therefore—how shall we proceed? is still open.

THE Springfield (Mass.) *Republican*, one of the ablest papers in the country, says that the only hope the Republican party can have to elect their ticket, is to place Adams and Bristow on it. It also says, that to nominate any other ticket, would be suicide, and nothing else.

WE have received the first copy of the *Times and Kentuckian*, formerly the *Springfield Kentuckian*, but now published at Lebanon, by Messrs. Barbour. It is a neat paper, and starts out on its new wings with promise of continued success.

LATEST NEWS.—The Lower House of Congress has repealed the law doubling the rate of postage on printed matter. It is thought that the Texas Pacific railroad bill can be passed, if it is pressed.

JUDGE DURHAM has placed us under obligations time and again. We have just received from him the fine speech of Hon. N. P. Banks, on the Amnesty Bill.

HON. B. H. HILL, of Georgia, will heap coals of fire on Radical heads, when he makes his great speech in favor of voting money for the Centennial.

MANY petitions have been sent to Congress from Ohio, Pennsylvania, and other States, asking aid in favor of the Texas Pacific railroad.

MISS BUSH, of Franklin county, was elected State Librarian by the Legislature, last Tuesday. She had four male and female competitors.

JEFF DAVIS' daughter dared to get married a few days since. Will Senator Blaine move a reconsideration of its ceremony?

THE pay of members of Congress will be cut down from \$5,000 per annum, to \$4,500.

OUR State Schools have made the first day of January in each year, a legal holiday.

OUR EGG TABLE.

BRANARD'S MUSICAL WORLD.—This valuable monthly is again on our table. As usual, it contains forty pages of new music, besides many pages of choice musical literature. To those interested in music, this book will be found of the greatest value, and the low price at which it is sent (\$1.50 per year,) puts it in the reach of every one. Besides, to every subscriber is sent a book of 216 pages, entitled "Musical Hint." Send 15 cents, and get specimen copy—to S. Branard & Son, Cleveland, O.

WE have received the last number of the *Albany (N. Y.) Law Journal*, an able monthly, devoted to the interests of the legal profession. It has a large and well-deserved circulation, and should be on the table of every lawyer in the Union who desires to keep himself posted on the decisions of the various State and Federal courts.

We thank the author, J. B. Chapman, of Lebanon, Ky., for a copy of his work, known as the *Grape Grower's Guide*. It tells all about grapes and their culture, in a simple, practical way. Send him 50 cents, and get a copy.

BOYLE COUNTY NEWS.

Shelby City.

WE have just received the mournful intelligence of the death of our former citizen, Hayden R. Young, in Richmond, Ky., after a very brief illness. His daughter, Mrs. W. E. Grubb, and Mrs. John Moore, were notified of his illness this P. M., very soon followed by the sad tidings of his death, which occurred about 11 A. M. No man stood higher in the estimation of his acquaintances, than H. R. Young. A fine parent, a Christian gentleman, whose daily walk and conversation, endeared him to all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance, which was very extensive, all of whom most deeply sympathize with his family, in this sore affliction. In our own home, he was so well known, it has cast a gloom which can only be dispelled by time, but the worth of this good man, we give up to some one more able than we, to speak of his noble character.

THERE is more sickness now in our midst, than for some time past. No doubt to report. The variable weather has had its effect, and we have had in the last few days, an "old prob" could possibly speak of, and we opine such sickness has been done in the future in the way of loss of rats, lice, and even in bottom lands.

SINCE the Sheep Fever has spread into Kentucky, and some capital invested in the "snowy doings," a good deal of atten-

tion is being bestowed on the canine race, and by common consent, a law is asked, looking to the extinction, in a great measure, of that hitherto important farming auxiliary, the "worthless cur" and we believe that unless some protection against dogs is granted, that a war will be waged against them in the interest of the wool growers.

WE wish we could have tagged some of our Salmon recently freed in Dix river. We would straightaway seek telegraphic communication with Rio Janeiro, inquiring after the little wanderers, for with this edition of the flood, if they haven't found salt water (and wanted it), we want no such in our waters; they are not game enough to go where they want to.

C. S. R. R. items are not forthcoming; we might go on and indulge in predictions, but to have any facts to note until six mill ions more money is in prospect, we have nothing to say.

SHIPMENTS of stock are very light from this point now; general freight business is good.

ONE Mr. Sisk, who has been dealing in Serpentine Whisky, as alleged, is on the anxious seat, to remain until next Sunday, when he will be made, on which, we are

WIDE-AWAKE.

LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS.

Hartsville.

OPEN weather is playing havoc with the stocks of pork in many places. Serious loss will result from this single circumstance. Few persons put up a surplus, and in case of loss, a supply cannot be obtained in the country.

OUR traders to the South have not been heard from. Given has probably reached his market in South Carolina, to-day. Dunn left here for the same point, about two days later. The reports of parties who have returned, are gloomy.

OUR Post Office was but a plain one, the second time, last Saturday night. The thief effected an entrance by tearing off some weatherboarding in a narrow alley. He then, as on the former occasion, forced the lock of the door which covers the letter boxes, and manipulated the contents. On his first visit, he took all the letters, indiscriminately. This time he burned matches, and thus was enabled to be more select in his appropriation. He got all the money, and all the stamps contained in the office. Wishing to vary his stock, he made a raid on the Drug Store of A. Williams & Son, which he entered from the same alley, and by similar means. Here he got a small amount of money, a lot of tobacco, and some candy. Of course our kindly Postmaster, is annoyed; but there is no excitement.

HAVE you any ideas as to the terms on which our Northern cousins will receive Kentucky at the Centennial? I'm afraid the thing is hopeless. The doctrine recently taught us in Congress, is significant, and decidedly unimproving. We are scarcely expected to participate in festivities which joyousness springs from our overthrow—elevate glasses to toast painted by memories of our defeat, or respond to sentiments cruelly triumphing over our downfall. Our presence is needed there, perhaps, to swell the throng, and like ancient captives, "Deck the pavement of a Roman holiday." But we have no rights there are entitled to no sympathy there—can be accorded no respect there. We have no "4th of July"—no right to claim or love the "meteor flag" or 1776—no title to a stake in the country, our modest kinship being the judges, except that accorded by suffering. Let us don't get!

It is to be hoped your former correspondent, Tarrant, will give you frequent letters from Texas. His articles, while here, were always read with peculiar interest. He is a close observer, a judicious writer, and has, where known, a host of friends. Shake hands with him across the wide prairies in the name of many who remember him here; and transmit to him the good wishes that will cheer him in his exile, and which he well knows how to appreciate.

FALSTAFF.

CASEY COUNTY NEWS.

Fry's Creek.

MONDAY was County Court in Liberty—no business transacted. Owing to the high waters, our citizens from the Southern part of the county, were prevented from attending.

The prisoners, who have, for a time, been confined in our county jail, escaped Saturday night, 22nd inst. The particulars we did not learn. The postoffice at Liberty, was robbed the same night, of \$6 in money, and a watch belonging to the P. M. On the same night, the bar room of Coffey & Pierce, was also robbed of \$2.

MR. WM. MINOR, agent for the Masonic Mutual Life Insurance Company, is canvassing it rough this neighborhood, urging all Masons to take out policies.

ONE of the late topics of discussion among our citizens, is that of building a Turnpike leading from the Hustonville and Bradfordsville pike, near Carpenter's Station, running via Roberts' Chapel, down Fry's creek, to intersect the Hustonville and Liberty pike, near Mr. Geo. Fry's. The proposed route is a good one, and the road is needed. It seems to us, those who are interested, should certainly give this matter serious and sober thought. It can be done, and we believe, considering the enterprising citizens we have in this locality, it will be done. They are also talking of building a two story church, the upper story of which, will be used as a Hall, for the benefit of Grangers, Good Templars, and Masons, should the latter organize a lodge here. We long to see a pike through this portion of our county, and a neat church in close proximity thereto.

MR. WM. WHITE, who resides in the Southern part of the county, came to Liberty, a few days since, partook too freely of Apple-Jack, and started for home. He crossed Green River, near Liberty, and in attempting to re-cross to steam up, his horse (from some cause), fell, and came near drowning; both horse and rider. He was rescued by some negroes, just in time to save him from a watery grave.

MR. TURNER HOLLAND, of this county, is losing his horse rapidly with log cholera. They are dying at the rate of 10 per day.

MR. TEXAS SHARP, has bought of W. F. Nepler, a boundary of land in Roberts' Chapel neighborhood, containing about 100 acres, with some improvements, for \$500.

The County Grange met at Roberts' Chapel, Friday, the 21st inst.; quite a large delegation present. Representatives from all

parts of the county. The crowd began to gather about 9 o'clock, A. M., and by 10, were ready for the transaction of business. Lodge was opened, and such matters as regularly came before it, disposed of, until about 2 o'clock, P. M., at which time the question of grub began to be agitated. This being a question that is generally considered, there was very little said about it. Necessary preparation being made all present were invited to dine. After which D. B. Good, County Deputy, addressed the audience relative to the workings of the Order; showing what it had done, and what it could do, if the members would only unite. Business was then resumed until about 4 o'clock, when the crowd dispersed. The Masonic Fraternity claims to be the oldest Order; and Fellowship is noted for its brotherly love; Good Templars for their noble design; the Grangers for "good grub" and plenty of it. A sine qua non.

We notice in the last issue of your paper, "Ethelbert" asks the question—"who struck Billy Patterson?" In reply to his query, we would say, the man who climbed, or attempted to climb the partition wall, and lost his shoes, is the fellow who struck Patterson. "Ethelbert" says he did in a recent issue, make some remarks on hypothetical cases, which he thought as an American free-born citizen had right to do. The free agency given us, does not extend beyond certain bounds, and when carried farther, we are, and should be held accountable for taking such advantages of this right gift. He moreover, says, he fears some one has been hawking the Professor. This we don't doubt; as the world has a tendency in that direction. We thought we said enough in a previous report, to convince any rational man that Prof. N. was not the reporter, and has no connection with the report from Fry's creek. Reprinted in part, "Ethelbert" CASEY.

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Citizen of Stanford and vicinity are notified that there is a Bakery at the Bruce House, a first-class Bakery, where

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In connection with my Dry Goods House I have opened a Fashionable Millinery Establishment under the management of competent and elegant Trimmers, in which may be found during the entire season all of the novelties and beauties in Ladies' Misses' and Children's Hats and Bonnets, Ladies' Ties, Scarfs, and a beautiful tool of Fancy Goods generally. The Ladies managing the above Department have in successful operation a first-class Mantua-Making Establishment, in which the very Latest Styles from New York City and Paris may be found. Special inducements offered to parties wishing Bridal and Party Outfits in the Millinery and Dress-Making Departments. Flattered by the very large and liberal patronage now extended to us we shall continue to give to the Trade

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Fine Dress Shirts, Broadway Silk Hats, Ladies' and Gent's Box-toed Boots and Shoes, Suits to Fit the Largest Man or Smallest Boy

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Just received 100 pieces Hamburg Edging at John H. Craig's.

Brown & Seagrave have a lot of the best Tobacco ever brought to Stanford.

200,000 choice brand cigars at wholesale at S. B. Matheny's.

Call at Bolton & Stagg's for Drugs, etc., cheaper than you ever bought for the cash. Before buying call and see that this means what is said.

MATHENY & MARSHALL have just received a large stock of Suiting, Pants and Overcoat Goods, and are prepared to make them up in the best of styles.

If you want a good fitting suit of clothes—made in the latest style, and of the best material, walk right up to Matheny & Marshall's Tailoring establishment, north side Main street.

Lost—On Thursday, Jan. 27th, a new Gun Coat and Leggings, on the Crab Orchard Turnpike, between town and Austin Hall's. The finder will confer a favor on the underigned, by leaving them at the office of Interior Journal. G. R. WATERS.

THE PEOPLE WANT PROOF.—There is no medicine prescribed by physicians, or sold by druggists, that carries such evidence of its success and superior virtue as Bosc's GERMAN SYRUP for severe Coughs, Colds settled on the Breast, Consumption, or any disease of the Throat and Lungs. A proof of that fact is that any person afflicted, can get a sample bottle for 10 cents and try its superior effect before buying the regular size at 75 cents. It has lately been introduced in this country from Germany, and its wonderful cures are astonishing every one that use it. Three doses will relieve any case. Try it. Sold by Bolton & Stagg.

HOME JOTTINGS.

REMEMBER that Weir & McAlister sell the cheap Groceries.

WEIR & McALISTER have one hundred barrels of fresh Utica lime for sale at a low price.

The largest stock of china, queensware, glassware and lamps can be found at Weir & McAlister's.

THE WINTER TERM of the Garrard Circuit Court, will begin at Lancaster on the 14th of next month, (February).

Use the Remington Sewing Machine. It is highly recommended. For information, etc., see advertisement in this issue.

DR. McKee of Danville will preach in the Presbyterian church to-night, to-morrow and to-morrow night, and Sunday and Sunday night.

A STRANGER passed through Lancaster the other day—saw one live man—but no corpse. Thinking that one was looking for somebody, he left.

THE floods of the past few days had the good effect to wash out and drain off all the filth of our streets and alleys, especially "water street," which needed a cleaning very badly.

PROFESSOR J. B. Myers, will deliver a lecture, in the Christian Church, next Lords day at 11 o'clock on the subject of Picturing and modern Christianity. It being the fifth Lords day in January.

LOCK YOUR FRONT DOORS.—A few nights since, an attempt was made to enter the residence of one of our citizens, but the terrific and timely screams of one of the lady inmates, caused the would-be burglar to beat a hasty retreat.

NOTWITHSTANDING Weir & McAlister have about one hundred and fifty thousand pounds of Bacon of their own curing—still they are buying all the good country Bacon offered them at liberal prices—payable in merchandise or cash.

STRAYED.—From F. J. Campbell, near town, on Wednesday last, a three-year-old bay filly, small, white spot in forehead. Went in direction of King's Mountain. He will pay for the return of the mare, or information of her whereabouts.

At the intersection of Main and Depot Streets, there is a muddy pool, which is almost impossible when it rains. The mud from the hill side, N. of Main Street, runs down and settles there in sufficient quantity to stall a loaded wagon.

We were mistaken in saying last week, that the Trustees of the Stanford Male and Female Seminary, would elect a Principal for the ensuing term. They were to have met for another purpose, as the term of the present Principal will expire on the 1st of September.

SEVEN have been the midwives of the winter, that will have already commenced their travel northward. Last Sunday morning, a flock of wild ducks passed over this town, in the direction of the "North Pole," but where they may all, it will depend upon the weather.

We have been informed that Small Pox now exists in Bryansville and vicinity, in Garrard county, and also among the negroes at Daviessville, on Dix River, in the lower edge of Garrard county. One death is reported, that of a child of Mr. Ford, a merchant at Bryansville.

We are very much in need of money, and would be glad for our customers to call on us immediately. If you can't pay the money, give us your note—we can't sell Groceries and Hardware on time, and then wait 6 or 12 months for the money.

OWSLEY & HOPKIN.

A DIFFICULTY occurred in the Barber shop of Chas. Price, colored, of Lancaster, one night last week, between a white man, named Yeaken, and a negro, named Floyd Pierce. The negro was knocked down and shot twice. The white man was severely cut with a razor, on the side of the neck.

"I DON'T intend to cry a bit at the funeral, if I don't have a new dress and black veil," said a little girl here, on the death of her mother, and she kept her word until she got the desired articles, and then a flood of grief burst forth, that lasted unrestrained until the last solemn rites were performed.

BEYOND a doubt, the Louisville Hotel is the best public house in the City of Louisville. It is centrally located, large and elegant establishment, and the traveler finds there the very best accommodations at a reasonable price. Read card in this issue.

THE laws that after the Court of Claims of a county shall have made the proper allowances for county expenditures, the same shall be published in the county paper, if one is printed there, and in case there is none, then hand bills, or posters, shall be printed in lieu thereof.

THE water mills have been able to grind every day during the past four or five months. There have been no days of freezing weather to lock the wheels, no lack of water, and thus have the millers been able to supply all demands upon their mills for grinding. The stream, saw, and grist mills, have been equally blessed.

JUDGE OWSELEY was here on Wednesday last, to hear and determine a case in Equity, set specially for the 26th inst. Anything which relieves the docket of business, will be so much in favor of the regular term. If Court were to hold open here for six months, the accumulated cases might, possibly, be disposed of.

SAMUEL GILL, Esq., late Superintendent of the Short Line Railroad, died in Louisville, recently. He had connections in Boyle county, to whom he left a part of his estate. Mr. Gill was never married, and the bulk of his estate was willed to his brothers, who get \$10,000 each. He was worth nearly \$50,000.

THERE are two or three places on the side-walks of Main Street, where a pedestrian might get his foot or leg frozen, and, if so, the result might be a broken limb or member. How not our worthy Board of Trustees better look after these matters? It might save a deal of trouble, and, perhaps, some costs.

As a general thing, the traders of a community operate on borrowed capital. They look to the broker, or capitalist first, for supplies, as they get easier rates from them than the banks offer. But failing with them they resort to the banks. This class of business men borrows more money than any other, and but few of them complain of the 10 per cent. law.

REV. G. O. BARNES is still in New Jersey, and his wife has also gone there. We have been informed that it is his intention to sell his home place here, and labor as an Evangelist wherever he may be invited. Many of Mr. Barnes' friends will regret to lose him, and they still indulge the hope that, after awhile, he will return to labor among them.

A RESIDENT of Stanford, said the other day, that he had killed sixty-five rats in one day. Having occasion to tear down an old oil-house, he called on a neighbor for all the dogs and cats he had to spare. These rat destroyers were freely loosed, and with sticks, rocks, dogs and cats, the number of rats above mentioned, was slain outright.

The friends of temperance of this locality are notified through the *Riverside Weekly* that Mr. J. J. Hickman will deliver a lecture, in Stanford on the 12th of February. Mr. Hickman we learn, first planted the good Temperance Banner in Stanford, and now comes determined to re-plant it. The reorganization of the Lodge at Stanford will probably be deferred until his coming.

A GENTLEMAN named Parish, was in town last week, looking up Statistics for a large Map, of the Cotton plant, of the United States, and taking subscriptions for the same. It will not be ready for delivery before Fall, and the high price of the same, \$16, places it beyond the reach of most people. We need such a Map, but it should be made on a cheaper scale.

THE man who asked Uncle Jimmy Warren, our Postmaster, if there was a letter to other office in town, has written a letter to General Grant, asking him if he would count up one on Fall Lick, in Whitley county, where he intended to remove. We presume, of course, that the President will comply with his request, as it seems to be quite a reasonable one.

AN old resident of the Dix River section of our county, said to one of our staff the other day, that he did not think a law should be passed to prevent folks from fishing in that stream, because he had fished in Dix River for years, and he had bought a new net, which he wanted to use until it was worn out, and he thought it wrong that the legislature to pass any law to prevent him from doing so.

I was one of a party of twenty five or thirty, who went by invitation, to a dance party at the Camden House, near Waynesburg, on the 23d inst. The music was good, and the pleasure as great as heart could wish. I take this occasion to say, that Mr. Camden is a whole-hearted host, and the delightful supper set before his guests, was enjoyed by all in attendance.

W. S. S.

LIVERY STABLES are, in all towns, necessary to the traveling public. If a traveler goes to a town and finds no public livery, he at once thinks there is no enterprise about its citizens. We are sure that no such complaint can be made against Stanford, for Jim Ed. Bruce, one of our most energetic citizens, has established one of the safest, best and most commodious stables in the State. He will, in a short time introduce some new features. Look out for them.

It is a notable fact, that at any point in Stanford, on a line running the entire length of Main Street, and about fifty yards wide, an excellent well of clear limestone water can be had for the digging, at a depth varying from ten to twenty-two feet. One gentleman in the upper end of town, dug a well a few years ago, and after going down nine feet, came to a rock, in which was a crevice six inches wide, and through which, flowed a stream of cold, never-failing water.

We, of course, dare not make a prophecy as to what the state of the weather will be as day hence, but we know that during the closing days of this month, it was wet, warm, and very disagreeable. Flood followed flood, until the whole face of the earth, and even under the earth, were one sloppy, slushy mass. From the 17th to the 23rd of this month, we, in this part of the world, had to wade through brooks, and over waterfalls, to reach our "respective places of abode." Prof. Tice, what is the matter?

J. E. PORTMAN, of the Firm of Portman & Owens, says there is no necessity of his going to New York to investigate the styles of Turnouts and Stables. Their Stable is of the latest style, and being still improved, and after it is finished there can be no possible chance for any further improvement. His Buggies are of the latest styles, and he has a Special Correspondent in New York to inform him of any change. He is not jesting about the matter—go and see, and you will find all he has said to be real, and not all talk to have his name in the paper.

"It is one of the greatest annoyances our suburban citizens have to bear." This spoke a gentleman who assured one of our reporters that since the winter opened, although it has been so mild, he has had over twenty panels of post-and-rail fencing taken down and carried off by some lazy thieves who reside at some of the cabins in our sub-urban, known as Macosville. Posts of rails were all taken, in many cases, and the land thus thrown out to stock. Our laws are not severe enough to punish such rascals. If they were more so, these annoying depredations would become less frequent.

The danger of leaving a well or cistern uncovered in a field where there are various kinds of animals running at large, was shown to be manifest last week. The case is this: An old well had long remained without a covering, and the earth had fallen in, leaving only a small pit, apparently. A fine mare belonging to one of our Lincoln county farmers, fell into this, one night recently, and being unable to get out, died in the treacherous hole. A few rails or plank, placed over the dangerous opening would have saved the life of a valuable mare, and money to her owner.

A FEW years ago, a man erected three or four very comfortable dwelling houses in the Eastern part of Stanford. He has rented these buildings to good tenants, for a fair rent, upon their cost. If others of our citizens who have idle capital would do the same kind of work, our town would increase in population and business. No better investment can be made than in building houses for the habitation of those who desire to cast their lot in our midst.

The twigs of the golden willow, grow as readily as other trees with roots. They should be placed thick along the banks of streams, to prevent washing away the soil.

DANIEL BOONE, the celebrated race stallion, died at the stables of his owner, the other day. Mr. Boone has lost a valuable animal, and the turf circles, sympathize with him.

The wheat and eye fields are as green as pastures in April. The roots have not been speared out this winter, at all, and, so far, the promise of an abundant crop was never greater.

A FARMER living in Clay county, this State, says he had a mare which gave birth this past Fall, to a mule colt without any tail, whatever, and with only one ear. The colt is still living, and is of fair size.

A GENTLEMAN told us the other day, that he gathered in one season, from a bed of Wilson's Albany strawberry, sixty feet by fifty, 74,000 lbs. of fruit. The bed was planted in "stools" two by two and a half feet apart. Who would not raise this industry better?

The dam of the peerless trotter, Dexter, died in Chester county, New York, last week, aged 27 years. Dexter's gran dam died at 32. He is in color, much resembling the dam's side of the royal house of horses, the white feet are a characteristic of the Dexter ancestors.

FIVE POUNDS PER DAY.—Dr. T. R. Montgomery, weighed one of his bees, just 30 days ago, and found that it weighed 140 lbs. At the end of 30 days he weighed it again, and found that he had ran the figures up to 1700—an actual gain of five pounds for each day that it had been fed. That's the way to make meat.

MR. WILLIAM R. GIBSON, of Somerset, bought on Monday last of Mr. S. P. Walters 200 acres of land without improvement, situated on the Lancaster turnpike, in the suburbs of town, just beyond the University. Mr. Gibson will shortly begin the erection of a dwelling on the land with a view of removing with his family to Richmond.

THE probabilities are, that as the fruit crop was a miserable failure last year, we will have a large one this season, as the trees have had a long rest, and have strengthened much in consequence. Two successive heavy crops rarely follow, and when the fruit does not come, the trees are rendered healthy and vigorous.

SPEAKING of fruit, reminds us of a question we heard propounded to a Nurseryman the other day. He was asked what kind of small fruits to plant, and the man of trees and plants said—for raspberries, get the Mammoth Cluster, a big black cap, and Philadelphia for red variety. For strawberries, get the Wilson's Albany, and the Green Prolifer, and plant side by side.

DURING the coming Spring months, there will be offered at public sale, on reasonable credit, some of the best land in Lincoln county—land which lies well, and is finely watered. It would be well enough for those who wish to purchase a farm, to attend these sales. If you wish to know what is offered in this line of business, consult our advertising columns.

This pleasant weather should be taken advantage of by our farmers and gardeners, and they should be cleaning up the winter's filth accumulations, preparatory to the putting in of farm and garden crops. Ploughs, hoes, forks, spades, rakes, etc., should be put in good order, so that when the time comes there will be no stopping or delaying of the work, until the blacksmith can put them in good condition.

Not being much of a Horticulturist myself, I never considered asking a Nurseryman to answer a question which a friend propounded to me. He asked how far apart apple and peach trees should be set. The answer was—35 feet for apple, and 25 for peach trees; and he also said that grass should be allowed to grow into a sod under Cherry trees, after they become three or four years old, they were apt to die if the grass did not grow under them.

CAPT. J. M. HIGGINS, gentleman, attended the sale of Johnathon Owsley, in this county, on the 24th. He reports a good crowd, and a good feeling on the part of buyers. The following stock, etc., were sold: 1 milk cow \$22 50; 1 cow \$25; 1 do. \$35; 1 do. \$30; one 3-year-old male calf \$35; 1 horse \$30; 1 yearling colt \$100; lot of 100 lbs. of butter, lot of 50 lbs. of \$22 50 per barrel, lot of 100 lbs. of 50 lbs. per bushel. House and Kitchen Furniture sold at good prices. The sale amounted to over \$1000.

FIRE IN DANVILLE.—We learn from Col. Breckenridge, that a fire occurred in Danville, Ky., on Wednesday morning last, about 4 o'clock, in which Shepard's residence, and the entire contents of the bakery, as the fire occurred in the cellar of that house, and had gained some headway before the inmates discovered it. Mr. Shindelower saved his furniture. The loss on Mr. Shepard's property, with the

house, was near \$7,000—and on Mr. Shindelower's dwelling, \$2,000—with little insurance on either. The fire was thought to be the work of an incendiary. Strange to say, the town of Danville has not a single Fire Extinguisher. Had the trustees supplied the town with those useful machines, these two unfortunate citizens might have saved great loss. It is the imperative duty of every town to have them, and we wonder that a town of the size and wealth of Danville, will consent to be without them. It is the best investment they can possibly make. We hear that this is the fifth fire that has occurred in Danville, recently. The terrible conflagration which swept over them years ago, should have taught them a lesson.

General Gordon Granger.

We have received the following letter which we lay before our readers:

LEXINGTON, KY., Jan. 25, 1876.
DEAR SIR:—The funeral of Gen'l Gordon Granger (who died suddenly at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the 10th inst.) will take place in this city, on Friday, 28th inst., at 12 o'clock, from the Episcopal church.

Gen'l McDowell and staff from Louisville with three Companies Troops, and the Band of the 16th Infantry from Nashville, will be in attendance. Friends of my sister, Mrs. Granger, in your town and vicinity are kindly invited to attend.

Very Respectfully,

BEN. LETCHER.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP ITEMS.

ELEVEN head of Shorthorns were sold by an Iowa breeder, to an Illinois farmer, for \$16,000.

A. S. MYERS, Esq., purchased the comfortable dwelling house, with nine acres of land, owned by the heirs of the late Doctor George McRoberts, dec'd., for \$3,000.

The twigs of the golden willow, grow as readily as other trees with roots. They should be placed thick along the banks of streams, to prevent washing away the soil.

Resolutions of Respect.

The Students of Stanford Female College, having assembled themselves together on the sad occasion of Miss K. Estelle Wood's death, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased God in his wonderful love and compassion, to call from our midst, our schoolmate and much loved companion, Little K. Estelle Wood; and as it is our privilege that we, as a school, may give some expression of our grief at this sad dispensation, be it therefore

Resolved, That although we mourn our loss, yet we rejoice in her gain, and we would bow with humble submission to his will who decreed it.

2d, That as a school we deeply deplore her early death, but thank God that He has permitted us to see her patient under suffering, her daily walk and conversation, her ever loving faith "shining unto the coming of her Lord."

3d, That we earnestly strive to emulate this model of child-like christian life, knowing that our "sun life here," may go down in the "eternal day."

4th, That we tender our love and sympathy to the bereaved parents, brothers, and sisters, to whom was denied the privilege of ministering to her wants and soothing the anguish of a sick bed, and pray God to be near them when the "heart's grief is loudest."

5th, That we condole with the Principal that death has entered her flock and stolen away a lamb and that, with her, we lose the usual badge of mourning thirty days.

6th, That a copy of the above be sent to the family of the deceased, to the INTERIOR JOURNAL, and to the *Christian Advocate*, of Mazon, Ga., for publication.

FLORENCE EVERT, President.

KATE BLAIR, Secretary.

COMMITTEE OF RESOLUTIONS.

MOLLIE DICKINSON, SALLIE McGUIRE,

KATE WITHERS, FLORENCE TREMBART,

LUCY HAYS, BETTIE LEWIS.

MARKETS.

Louisville.

There were no important changes to note in the Louisville produce markets. Provisions were some what quiet but prices were generally unchanged.

Bacon had a fair demand and sales were made at 9 1/2, 10 and 10 1/2 for clear ribs, 11 1/2 for clear ribs and 12 1/2 for clear ribs. Bulk meats were held at 10 1/2 for clear ribs, 11 1/2 for clear ribs and 12 1/2 for clear ribs.

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CHICKEN Cholera is thinning out many flocks of chickens in some parts of the State, one breeder of fancy fowls has lost over sixty Brahma hens and cocks. It is inexplicable, however, to find that it frequently happens that the fowls on adjoining premises to those where the chickens die, escape the ravages of the disease entirely. In that respect, it sets like human cholera. No certain remedy has ever been found for the disease.

As the time is near at hand for tree planting, and as some of our readers will plant out fruit trees, we advise them not to fail to buy some of the variety known as Spitzenberg. It is of a deep red color, white flesh, solid, hard, delicious, moderate size, and a late keeper. You can see them now in all the fruit stores. They will keep until May. Of course you will buy largely of the never failing Jeannette—or, as some people spell it, "Genet."

THE Danville *Advocate* published a statement a week or so since that Mr. Russell, of Danville, had killed the past season 556 hogs. Weir & McAlister, of Stanford, killed 679 hogs, the average weight of which was as follows: 500 of them weighed 250 lbs., average weight; and the entire lot cost them \$11,691 50. This is the largest number of hogs killed in this part of the State in any year past. We presume that the building of the C. & S. R. R. has caused a demand for pork, and the number of hogs killed will not supply the demand, in case the work on the road is continued. In addition to the foregoing supplies, we learn that many farmers in the counties along the line of the road have killed their own hogs, and will sell the meat during the coming season, to contractors and others who

